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ABSORBENT INSERTS, METHOD OF PRODUCING THEM AND THEIR USE

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8. ☒ Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76
9. ☐ 37 C.F.R. §3.73(b) Statement ☐ Power of Attorney
(when there is an assignee)
10. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
11. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 ☐ Copies of IDS Citations
12. ☒ Preliminary Amendment
13. ☒ White Advance Serial No. Postcard
14. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)
(if foreign priority is claimed)
15. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status.
See 37 CFR 1.27
16. ☐ Other: Request for Priority, Form PCT/IB/304

2. Specification

Total Sheets

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3. ☐ Formal Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113)

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☐ CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)

☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission
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Prior application information: Examiner: J. Befumo

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